## Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-3214

April 28, 2022

Dear Chair David E. Price and Ranking Member Mario Diaz-Balart:

I am requesting funding for the Westchester Square Plaza project for fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is New York City Department of Transportation located at 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10041.

The funding would increase public space and add safety improvements to a dangerous intersection in an underserved community in the Westchester Square neighborhood of the Bronx. The funding will remedy flooding in the area, bolster local economic activity, create a safer and more attractive pedestrian environment and transit hub; and provide a flexible gathering space for the Bronx community programming and encourage neighborhood stewardship.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Representative Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez

Member of Congress